

Title	Demonstrate knowledge of the characteristics of large passenger service vehicles and passenger capacity		
Level	3	Credits	2

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to demonstrate knowledge of the characteristics of large passenger service vehicles and passenger capacity.
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Classification	Commercial Road Transport > Passenger Service
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

- Evidence presented for assessment against this unit standard must be consistent with safe working practices and be in accordance with company requirements and legislative requirements.
- Legislation, regulations and/or industry standards relevant to this unit standard include but are not limited to the:
Health and Safety at Work Act 2015;
Land Transport Act 1998;
Land Transport (Road User) Rule 2004;
and any subsequent amendments and replacements.

Any new, amended or replacement Acts, regulations, standards, codes of practice, guidelines, or authority requirements or conditions affecting this unit standard will take precedence for assessment purposes, pending review of this unit standard.

- Definitions
Assisting passengers may refer to managing passengers where required.
Company requirements refer to instructions to staff on policy and procedures that are available in the workplace. These requirements may include – company policies and procedures, work instructions, site procedures, industry best practice and legislative requirements.
Passenger's personal safety equipment may include restraints, harnesses, buckle guards, oxygen bottles or feeding tubes.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Demonstrate knowledge of the characteristics of large passenger service vehicles and passenger capacity.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Legal requirements are identified for dimensions of typical passenger service vehicles.
- Range maximum allowable length, width, and height.
- 1.2 Gross vehicle weights and axle weights are identified in terms of legal maximums.
- Range individual axles; tandem axle set, combinations of axle sets that together do not constitute a single tandem axle set measured by the distance from centre of first axle to centre of last axle.
- 1.3 The factors affecting passenger capacity are described.
- Range number of axles, axle configuration, road and bridge tolerances, engine location.
- 1.4 The description includes the deemed weights for passengers and one situation where a deemed weight may be exceeded.
- Range primary school children, intermediate age children, secondary school children, adults, tourists with suitcases.
- 1.5 Large passenger service vehicles are described in terms of legal requirements for on-road operation.
- Range Certificate of Fitness, Road User Charges, hub-odometers, motor vehicle registration, on-vehicle identification of transport service licensee, domicile, tare weights, land transport documents mounting and positioning.

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Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

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Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference	0014
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Comments on this unit standard

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